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BY ECF

Hon. Katherine Polk Failla United States District Judge United States District Court Southern District of New York 40 Foley Square, Room 2103 New York, New York 10007



Re: <u>USA v. Nadine Wade</u> 21-cr-472(KPF)

Dear Judge Failla,

As the Court is aware, I am CJA-appointed counsel for Nadine Wade in the above captioned matter. I am requesting that I be relieved as counsel for Ms. Wade.

I believe that there has been a breakdown in communication between myself and Ms. Wade and that it is best that I be relieved from this matter and Ms. Wade be appointed new counsel. Ms. Wade is aware that I am making this request. Further, I have notified Ms. Wade's CJA-appointed standby counsel, Robert Soloway, that I would be making this request today.

Respectfully Submitted,

Andrew M. J. Bernstein, Esq. ARMSTRONG TEASDALE LLP Counsel for Nadine Wade

Application GRANTED. Mr. Bernstein shall be permitted to withdraw as defense counsel of record for Ms. Wade. In light of Mr. Bernstein's withdrawal, the Clerk of Court is directed to substitute Mr. Soloway as Ms. Wade's counsel. The Clerk of Court is further directed to terminate the pending motion at docket entry 99.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: June 27, 2022

New York, New York

HON. KATHERINE POLK FAILLA

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE